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The Richard Webber Family

A Genealogy from the First Settlement in America

by L. A. Washburn

"One is your master, even Christ, and all ye are brethren."—*Matt. 23:8.*

"Nil sine labore."

Nothing without Labor.

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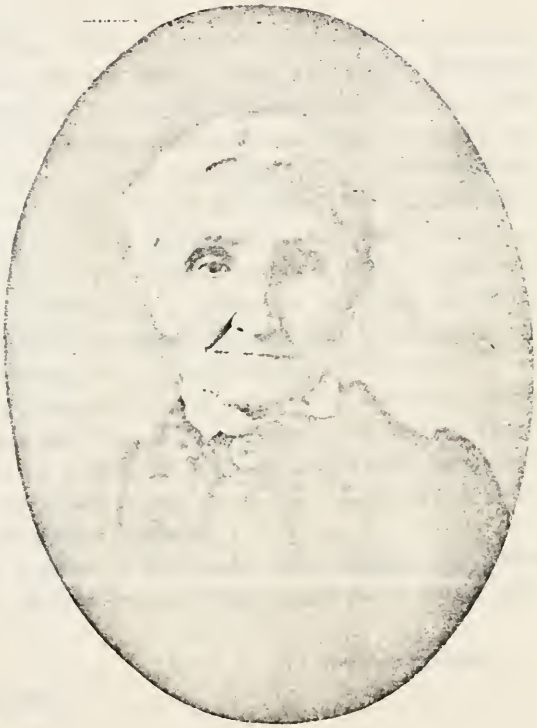

LUCY (WEBBER) SYKES

Oldest Child of Richard Webber, now Aged 87 Years (born 1822)
Everybody's "Aunt Lucy"

Still living
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Preface

It was two years ago today (July 31, 1906) that one of Richard Webber's great-grandsons asked me about the family. Who were they? Where did they come from? I replied that I would find out, and this little book is the result. I wrote to several people and asked many questions; the record was complete, but scattered about. I found a complete chain, back to England. Our Aunt Lucy Sykes is a strong link in this chain, for she *remembers* seeing the aunts and uncles of the *second generation;* and several of us have seen the great-grandfather, Joseph Webber, who was born in 1772, and lived more than 95 years. After my list of ancestors was made, one of the family sent me a small printed book which verified what I had found, and gave me further dates and facts, so I cannot doubt that all is correct.

At the last reunion, July 31, 1907, it was voted that I should go on and complete the record. There are seven large branches in the Webber Family Tree, claiming descent from James, of England; and, after reaching the fourth generation, I have confined myself to our own branch, which is the seventh, headed by our grandfather, Richard[4].

This has really been a labor of love, and I have enjoyed every letter sent me, and truly thank all who have so kindly helped me to gather dates and facts for this book.

LUCY A. WASHBURN, Compiler.

Medina, O., July 31, 1908.

The Key

The plan of this Genealogy is the best and plainest we could find to work from. Each person *born* with the surname *Webber* has a consecutive number, placed at the left hand of the name in the table.

Those men who are married and have children are noted by a cross (+) before their number in the table. This shows that the record is carried forward to a page where the number is given in large figures in the middle of the page, and each man's record and family is given by itself.

In the female lines each daughter's record and family are given a place in her father's record, at the place where her consecutive number is given. Her sons and daughters are numbered with figures in parentheses, viz.: (1), (2), (3), etc.; the grandchildren with numerals, viz.: (I), (II), (III), etc.; the great-grandchildren with capital letters, viz.: (A), (B), (C), etc.; the great-great-grandchildren with small letters, viz.: (a), (b), (c), etc. This difference is made to distinguish them from the names in the male lines.

The small figure at the right of the Christian name shows the generation of the person. Thus, the first man is number[1], and all his children are number[2], and this is the *first* generation. A son of number[1] is number[2], and his children are all number[3], and this is the *second* generation,, and so on. Each generation is called by the number of the father of it. We have seven generations, from John[1] to Marion[6].

N. B—The abbreviations used most are these: b. for born; m. for married; unm. for unmarried; d. for died.

Genealogy of

The Webber Family

From its First Settlement in America

First Generation

1

JOHN WEBBER[1] (son of James Webber, London, Eng.), born about A. D. 1700; came to Rehoboth, Mass., A. D. 1722; married HANNAH ROUNDS, May 4, 1737 (171 yrs. ago today, May 4, 1908); died Sept. 25, 1759. His widow died Oct. 13, 1778, aged 67 years, 8 months. Aunt Lucy Sykes has said she was always taught that John was the first to come from England. She also said: "My great-aunt, Mary Hicks, once said that my brother, Merrill Webber, looked like the Rounds. He was a little fellow then, and did not like her to say so, is why I remember it."

CHILDREN BORN IN REHOBOTH, MASS.

2 James,[2] b. March 14, 1738; d. Jan. 12, 1741.

+3 Richard,[2] b. Oct. 7, 1739; m. Sept. 25, 1768, Sarah Clark; m. Elizabeth ———, Oct. 29, 1792; m. Elizabeth ———, Jan. 11, 1798. He died Sept. 16, 1810.

4 Mary,[2] b. Oct. 26, 1742; d. July 18, 1759.

5 John,[2] b. Nov. 13, 1744; m. Ruth Wheeler; d. May 29, 1825.

6 Nathaniel,[2] b. Dec. 29, 1746; m. Elizabeth Wheeler left family.

7 Lucy,[2] b. June 9, 1749; m. Jon. Matthews, of Royalston, Mass.

8 Hannah,[2] b. Sept. 14, 1751; died unmarried.

9 Anna,[2] b. Sept. 15, 1754; m. Joseph Winslow; d. Oct. 29, 1832. They lived in Putney, Vt.

Second Generation

3

RICHARD WEBBER[2] (John[1]), son of John and Hannah (Rounds) Webber, born in Rehoboth, Mass., Oct. 7, 1739. Was married Sept. 25, 1768, to SARAH CLARK, who died March 1, 1792, aged 42 years. He had two wives after this, both named Elizabeth. ELIZABETH No. 1 (to whom he was married Oct. 29, 1792) died March 28, 1796, aged 41 yrs. ELIZABETH No. 2 (to whom he was married Jan. 11, 1798) died Dec. 8, 1804, aged 54 years. Richard died Sept. 16, 1810. His grave may be seen, even to this day, in West Stafford, Conn. There is a neat stone, marked "Richard Webber, Died Sept. 16, 1810, Aged 71 years. Elizabeth, his Wife, Died Dec. 8, 1804, Aged 54 years."

CHILDREN OF RICHARD AND SARAH (CLARK) WEBBER.

10 James,[3] born and died August 13, 1769.

11 Mary,[3] b. July 7, 1770; m. Aaron Hicks. She lived and died in Stafford Village, Ct., where her father died and is buried. Aunt Lucy Sykes knew her and says they always called her "Polly."

+12 Joseph,[3] b. Sept. 17, 1772; m. Polly Carpenter, Apr. 17, 1796; d. Dec. 12, 1866.

13 Sally,[3] b. Nov. 12, 1774; d. Jan. 16, 1778.

14 Lavinia,[3] b. Feb. 19, 1777; d. Oct. 20, 1778.

15 John,[3] b. Aug. 11, 1779; m. Sept. 27, 1803, to Elizabeth Norris. He went to P. Q., Canada; lived, and died there, Dec. 10, 1869. His wife died May 9, 1857.

16 Nancy,[3] b. Oct. 13, 1782; m. Benjamin Ladoit; lived in Stafford; d. Nov. 14, 1873. She had two daughters, one of whom was Mrs. Mary Ann Shaw, of Palmer, Mass., a cousin of Aunt Mary Whitman, both of whom the writer has seen; they were lovely women—Mrs. Shaw and Aunt Mary. (Aunt Lucy knew Mrs. Ladoit, also).

17 Richard,[3] b. March 3, 1785; m. Hannah Hyde, of Stafford, Ct., July 14, 1810. Always lived in Stafford; had two daughters, Maryette and Almeda. He died March 14, 1864. Maryette m. Talcott; had one daughter, who is Mrs. Hastings; she has no children. They lived in Springfield, Mass. Maryette died in 1904. Aunt Lucy knew her well. Almeda married Cady.

18 Lucy,[3] b. April 26, 1787; m. Thaddeus Clark, and lived in Woodstock; had two sons and a daughter, Mrs. Phelps. One son, Minor Clark, was one of the first Baptist ministers in Springfield, Mass.

19 Hannah,[3] b. Nov. 11, 1789, never married. Aunt Lucy has seen her at the homes of her sisters and brother, Richard. She spent her last days with her niece, Mrs. Phelps, and died in 1878, aged 89 years.

Third Generation

12

JOSEPH WEBBER[3] (Richard[2], John[1]), son of Richard and Sarah (Clark) Webber, was born in Rehoboth, Mass., Sept. 17, 1772; married POLLY CARPENTER, April 17, 1796. She was born in Seekonk, Mass., Dec. 18, 1774. Aunt Lucy remembers her, and says: "That Polly Carpenter was a woman of rare excellence and purity." They lived the "simple life" in Stafford, Ct., and here their children were born. In 1833 they lived near Palmer, Mass. Their eldest daughter had married a Mormon (before polygamy was practiced) and lived in New York State, so they went to visit her and investigate the Mormons. On May 6, 1833, they started from Palmer by stage to Springfield and Albany; took canal to Schenectady, arriving May 9. Arrived at Buffalo, May 16; took steamer to Dunkirk, Chaut. Co., N. Y., next day, went by wagon and on foot to Pomfert, arriving the 17th, 11 days on the way. They visited the Mormons in their log houses, attended meetings, and heard their peculiar services, also "gift of tongues," etc. The prophet, Smith, was not here, but stayed in Ohio. They returned home in the same manner they came, being 10 days on the way, and reached home June 11, having been gone 5 weeks, 1 day, at a total cost of $51.70. Joseph decided that he "would as lief join a little small humble Methodist Society as to join the Mormons and go to Mt. Zion in the west." He was never very strong, and often let out his farm on shares and taught school. In their old age they lived with Uncle James and Aunt Mary Whitman, their youngest daughter, on a farm in Belchertown, Mass. In 1862 Polly fell on the ice and broke her hip, and never walked again. She was then in her 88th year, and Joseph in the 90th year of age. He died Dec. 12, 1866, aged 95 years. Polly died Jan. 4, 1868, aged 93 years. The writer has seen their graves in the old burying-ground in Belchertown. In 1870 she visited with Aunt Mary in the same old farm house where they lived. Their rooms were still quaintly furnished as of old, and the attic was a wonderful museum of old looms, spinning-wheels, and other ancient implements of industry.

CHILDREN BORN.

+20 Martin,[4] b. Feb. 20, 1797; m. Jan. 1, 1818, Olive Bradway.

+21 Richard,[4] b. March 13, 1800; m. April 17, 1821, Lovina Bradway.

22 Sarah,[4] b. July 29, 1802; m. George Braffet, Oct. 2, 1822, and went to Utah to live when the country was new. All trace of her is lost.

23 Elizabeth,[4] b. June 12, 1804; lived but 4 years.

24 Polly,[4] b. March 8, 1807, Stafford, Ct.; m. Abiel Washburn, July 25, 1825. He was born May 18, 1803, Dartmouth, Mass. He was expert in several branches of industry, and therefore they lived in both Con-

necticut and Massachusetts. Polly died in Belchertown, Mass., Feb. 7, 1875. Abiel came to Ohio and lived with his youngest son in Medina, where he died March 8, 1877. He now lies by the side of Polly in the old Belchertown ground.

CHILDREN BORN.

(1) George Abiel[5] (Washburn), b. April 23, 1827, Belchertown, Mass.; d. May 20, 1891, Walhalla, S. C. Was Major of 16th Connecticut; was wounded at Antietam; was afterward Brigadier General. During his last years his home was in South Carolina. He married first, April 23, 1848, Mary G. Burt, Hartford, Ct. (b. Jan. 31, 1828; d. Nov. 19, 1850). He married, second, March 7, 1854, Sarah Ann White, Springfield, Mass. (b. March 24, 1830; d. Oct. 16, 1904).

Children of First Wife.

(I) Mary Graves[6] (Washburn), b. March 26, 1849, Windsor Locks, Ct.; m. June 28, 1869, James W. Willard, Hyde Park, Mass. Their children:

(A) Mary Alice[7] (Willard), b. Dec. 2, 1870; m. Oct. 22, 1889, Lewis Alvah White, Waterbury, Ct. (See his record).

(B) Anna Luzerne[7] (Willard), b. Nov. 28, 1875; m. July 11, 1907, Mark R. Holladay, Doctor, New Haven, Ct.

(II) Frances[6] (Washburn), b. Nov. 8, 1850; d. March 18, 1851.

Children of Second Wife.

(III) George Arthur[6] (Washburn), b. March 18, 1855; m. M. Ella Washburn. (See her record).

(IV) Albert Lyman[6] (Washburn), b. July 4, 1857; m., first, Oct. 17, 1881, Mary Sherman, of New London, Ct. She died, Aiken, S. C., Oct. —, 1894. Child: (A) Herbert,[7] b. Aug. 1882; d. March, 1883. He m., second, Nellie B. Hollister, of Hartford, Conn., Dec. 28, 1897. He is a civil engineer in Hartford. No children.

(V) Sarah Alice[6] (Washburn), b. Oct. 12, 1860; unmarried.

(VI) William Lewis[6] (Washburn), b. March 2, 1862; m., Dec. 28, 1898, Sophie U. Stanley, of Columbia, S. C. She died March 23, 1900. Is a newspaper man in Patchogue, N. Y.

(2) Christopher[5] (Washburn), b. Dec. 25, 1828, West Warren, Mass.; m. Frances E. Richmond, Sept. 9, 1850. She was born in East Hampton, Conn., Nov. 30, 1827. He has been a tailor. Their home is in Elyria, O. Their children:

(I) Francis C.[6] (Washburn), b. March 24, 1853, Hinckley, O.; d. Jan. 26, 1867, Weyauwega, Wis.

(II) Mary Ella[6] (Washburn), b. July 1, 1858, Weyauwega, Wis.; m. Geo. Arthur Washburn, Oct. 17, 1881, in Hartford, Ct. He was a machinist. She is a ladies' tailor in Elyria, O. Children born:

(A) George A.[7] (Washburn), b. Aug. 29, 1882, Plainville, Ct.

(B) Julia A. Josephine[7] (Washburn), b. July —, 1885, Medina, O.; d. Oct. 16, 1887.

(C) Frank Ford[7] (Washburn), b. April 3, 1891, Cleveland, Ohio; d. July —, 1891.

(D) Frances Naomi[7] (Washburn), b. Dec. 3, 1890, Cleveland, O. Their home is Elyria, O.

(III) Jason[6] (Washburn), b. Dec. 31, 1862, Weyauwega, Wis.; d. June 9, 1902, in Ohio. Was a railroad man. Not m.

(IV) Julia[6] (Washburn), twin of Jason; unm., is a physician.

(3) Alvah[5] (Washburn), b. April 23, 1832, Coventry, Ct.; m. Sarah Almina Webber, Aug. 15, 1852. (See her record, No. 34).

(4) Mary Jane[5] (Washburn), b. Sept. 13, 1839, Stafford, Ct.; d. Dec. 12, 1903, Waterbury, Ct.; m. William Wirt White, Jan. 7, 1856. He was born March 9, 1832; was machinist in Waterbury; d. Sept. 29, 1908. Children born:

(I) William Leroy[6] (White), b. May 27, 1857, Hartford, Ct.; m. Nellie Merrill, Nov. 4, 1876, Waterbury. Is machinist in Detroit, Mich. Their children:

(A) Edward L.[7] (White), b. June 15, 1878; m. Elvira W. Wells, April 11, 1901, Chicago; no children.

(B) Howard L.[7] (White), b. Jan. 20, 1880; m. Kate M. Schwark, June 6, 1906, Chicago. Child born, (a) Howard L., Jr.[8] (White), b. Nov. 9, 1907.

(C) Percy L.[7] (White), b. Aug. 28, 1881; m. Sadie Lennon, March 31, 1904, Waterbury, Ct. Children born: (a) Edward L.[8] (White), b. Jan. 10, 1905; (b) William L.[8] (White), b. March 14, 1906.

(D) Walter W.[7] (White), b. Sept. 8, 1883; d. June 5, 1885.

(E) Morris H.[7] (White), b. June 28, 1885.

(F) Merrill W.[7] (White), b. April 11, 1887.

(G) Almira M.[7] (White), b. March 4, 1889.

(H) Alma A.[7] (White), b. Dec. 31, 1890.

(I) William W.[7] (White), b. April 6, 1893; d. July 8, 1896.

(J K) A pair of twins, b. Jan. 14, 1895; d. Jan. 15, 1895.

(L) Harold[7] (White), b. July 5, 1896; d. Oct. 6, 1896.

(M) Helen A.[7] (White), b. Oct. 24, 1897.

(II) Walter Washburn[6] (White), b. Nov. 27, 1859; d. Sept. 2, 1884; unm.

(III) Leslie Strong[6] (White), b. Nov. 29, 1863. Was a machinist.

(IV) Lewis Alvah[6] (White), b. July 26, 1866; m. Oct. 22, 1889, Mary Alice Willard, Waterbury, Ct. He is a machinist there. Their children:

(A) Alice L.[7] (White), b. Nov. 28, 1890.

(B) Annie M.[7] (White), b. Oct. 28, 1892.

(C) Katharine M.[7] (White), b. June 15, 1894.

(D) Stanley W.[7] (White), b. Feb. 9, 1897.

(E) Herbert W.[7] (White), b. April 27, 1908.

(5) Sarah Ann[5] (Washburn), b. Jan. 5, 1846, Stafford, Ct.; m. George W. Patterson, Jan. 5, 1869. He was born Dec. 25, 1838, Coxsackie, N. Y. Is a prominent Odd Fellow in Springfield, Mass. Children:

(I) Grace E.[6] (Patterson), b. Jan. 16, 1870; m. Frank Pease, Nov. 23, 1892, Springfield. No children.

(II) Minnie I.[6] (Patterson), b. Feb. 27, 1876; m. Fred Cushman, April 18, 1900. Springfield. Children:

(A) Albert H.[7] (Cushman), b. Dec. 11, 1902.

(B) Florence I.[7] (Cushman), b. Aug. 14, 1904.

(III) Geo. Harry[6] (Patterson), b. March 8, 1881. Unm. Is a stationary engineer in Springfield.

25 Mary,[4] b. July 13, 1809, Stafford, Ct.; m. James Whitman, Jan. 27, 1835. They lived on a farm in Belchertown, Mass., and this was the home of Joseph and Polly Webber in their last days. Mary was a widow for many years, her home being in Palmer, Mass. She lived several years in the home of her nephew, Martin Webber, in Monson, where she died, Oct. 29, 1905, aged 96 years, 3 mo. She left no children. Charles Clough, a grandson of Martin Webber,[4] was her administrator.

Fourth Generation

20

MARTIN WEBBER[4] (Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), son of Joseph and Polly (Carpenter) Webber, was born Feb. 20, 1797, in Connecticut, and married OLIVE BRADWAY, Jan. 1, 1818; died Sept. 4, 1827. His widow married again, and died, Jan. —, 1854.

CHILDREN BORN,

26 Malvina,[5] b. ——. —, ——; m. Ralph Clough; d. Nov. 12, 1846. A son, Charles.

27 Polly,[5] b. —. —, ——; m. —— Davis; d. July 2, 1856.

28 Joseph Martin,[5] b. Dec. 26, 1826; m. Marcia A. Maynard. He is known in the west as "Cousin Martin"; is still living in Monson, Mass. His wife died June —, 1903, and his daughter, Minnie, makes a home for him. The children are:

Mary J. Squiers; lives near Monson, Mass.
Emeline H. Stebbins; deceased.
Eveline H. Newton; lives in Springfield, Mass.
Dora A. Stewart; lives in Monson, Mass.
Levater A. Webber, lives in Monson, Mass.
Charles R. Webber; lives in Indianapolis, Ind.
Lora E. Purcell; lives in Hartford, Conn.
Cora E. Sault; lives in Monson.
Minnie Webber; lives in Monson with her father.
Lena Webber; deceased.
Grace E. Avery; lives in Jacksonville, Fla.

[It was decided not to follow this branch further.]

21

Richard Webber[4] (Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), son of Joseph and Polly (Carpenter) Webber; was born March 13, 1800, at Stafford, Conn. (This book is named for him.) He married Lovina Bradway, April 17, 1821. She was born in Stafford, April 1, 1799, and was a daughter of Abel and Naomi (Simmons) Bradway. Her grandfather was Eleazer Bradway, who married ———— Phillips. Richard and his family lived in several places in Massachusetts and Connecticut. He was a local preacher, and also a carpenter. The writer has seen a country "meeting-house" in Hampden Co., Mass., that was built by him. In A. D. 1838 he decided to move his family from Palmer, Mass., to the West; so they came in emigrant fashion, to the Western Reserve; they traveled by wagon, canal, and steamboat, and were 18 days on the way, and reached Medina Co., Ohio, in November. He settled on a farm in Hinckley Township and built a house of logs. With the help of his sons he cleared the forest and tilled the soil, and they soon had corn enough for "puddins" and for the stock. He was prospered, and a pleasant home replaced the log cabin, and the "old oaken bucket" hung at the back door. He was called "Elder Webber," and, as a local preacher, was well known all over Northern Ohio. In the fall of 1854 his youngest son, Joseph, was sick with typhoid fever, and died Sept. 6. In the absence of the expected minister he officiated at the funeral of Joseph. Then he, also, was sick with the fever, and died Oct. 17. His obituary says:

"The Rev. Richard Webber departed this life at his residence in Hinckley, Medina Co., O., Oct. 17, 1854. He was born in Stafford, Conn., March 13, 1800, embraced religion in the 18th year of his age, and was licensed to preach soon after. In the 22d year of his age he was married to Miss Lovina Bradway, and in 1838 moved to Ohio. Soon after, he joined the Wesleyan Church, where he remained until 1846, when he united with the Protestant Methodist Church, where he remained until his death. As a citizen he was esteemed by all; as a minister he was regarded as being among the first in talent. During his sickness I called twice to see him, when he told me he was resigned to the will of God; that it had been the business of his life to prepare for death; and if the Lord had anything more for him to do, and spared his life, he would do it. He died in the triumph of faith, leaving a widow and large family to mourn his loss. But few ministers were called upon more frequently to attend funerals than he was; he was peculiarly interesting upon such occasions, consequently a severe loss to the community. 'But he being dead yet speaketh. Yea, saith the Spirit, blessed are the dead that die in the Lord.' "

[Extract taken from the *Western Methodist Protestant,* written by John Burnett.]

About this time Lovina's brothers, Olney and Wm. Harrison Bradway, and their wives, Harriet and Sally, brought their families to Hinckley, and afterward to Medina, O. They are not forgotten. Lovina lived many years in the homes of her children, and died when with her son Alfred, at Hinckley Centre, Oct. 8, 1877.

CHILDREN BORN.

29 Lucy Lovina,[5] born Jan. 6, 1822, in Monson, Mass. Came to Ohio in 1838; was a brave pioneer girl. She was twice married: first to Philander Gage, of Ripley, N. Y. He lived but four months, and she returned to her father's house. In 1843, Dec. 18, she married Hiram Sykes, of Westfield, N. Y. He was born in Dorset, Vt., May 20, 1799; was a widower, with two daughters. Their home was in Westfield, until they came to Hinckley, O., Dec., 1854, and settled upon the Webber homestead, afterwards moving to Hinckley Centre. Hiram Sykes died Jan. 31, 1875. Lucy L. Sykes is still living, at the age of 87, with her children.

CHILDREN BORN.

(1) Ann Jeanette,[6] called "Nettie" (Sykes), b. Jan. 31, 1845, at Westfield, N. Y.; m. Beecher C. Bell, Oct. 3, 1865. He was born at Bath, O., Sept. 10, 1844. They were married in Hinckley, O., and he was a farmer in that place. Nettie died Sept. 4, 1872, aged 27 years. Their children:

(I) Lewis B.[7] (Bell), b. Dec. 15, 1866, in Hinckley, O.; m. Jennie E. Jordan, of Cape Elizabeth, Me., Dec. 31, 1891. They went to Camp Verde, Arizona, and started a bee-ranch, Jan. 1895, and are very successful. Children:

(A) Ralph Lewis,[8] (Bell), b. Dec. 1, 1892.

(B) Donald Francis,[8] (Bell), b. Sept. 29, 1894.

(C) Warren Leroy,[8] (Bell), b. Apr. 23, 1897.

(D) Theodore,[8] (Bell), b. Sept. 19, 1901; d. Nov. 18, 1901.

(II) Harriet Elizabeth,[7] (Bell), b. July 2, 1870, in Hinckley, O.; was a teacher in the South; m. Ben. E. Coates, July 13, 1898. Their home is in Brecksville, O., where he is a general merchant. Their children:

(A) Kathryn Jeanette[8] (Coates), b. May 12, 1900.

(B) Louise Bell[8] (Coates), b. Feb. 4, 1906.

(2) Jane[6] (Sykes), b. Oct. —, 1846; d. 8mo. old.

(3) Walter Farwell[6] (Sykes), b. Aug. 28, 1849, at Westfield, N. Y. Has been a good farmer, and is now a grocer in Richfield, O. Married Caroline Haas, April 17, 1888, at Royalton, O. Their chilrden:

(I) Rhoda Farwell[7] (Sykes), b. July 19, 1889; is in "Class of 1909"

(II) William Edward[7] (Sykes), b. Aug. 4, 1894.

(III) Elizabeth Rose[7] (Sykes), b. Nov. 26, 1898.

(4) De Lancy[6] (Sykes), b. April 27, 1851, in Westfield, N. Y.. The Sykes family came to Hinckley, O., in 1854. DeL. went to P. Q., Can., with his uncle, in 1867; was educated there, and became a Deputy Leather Inspector in the port of Montreal. Married Jessie, eldest daughter of Edward and Catherine (Anderson) Charters, of Montreal, P. Q., Apr. 27, 1881. Their home was in the suburb Cote St. Antoine, and here Jessie died, June 10, 1887. He came with his family to West Richfield, O., 1889, and became a merchant. Married Eve, the second daughter of Dr. Wesley and Mary (Viall) Pope, Jan. 20, 1892. Children by Jessie Charters Sykes:

(I) Edward Hiram[7] (Sykes), b. Apr. 26, 1882, at Cote St. Antoine, P. Q.; m. Caroline Newton, W. Richfield, O., Oct. 28, 1903. Is in store in W. Richfield. Their children:

(A) Virgil Newton[8] (Sykes), b. Sept. 2, 1904.

(B) Chester De Lancy[8] (Sykes), b. Sept. 3, 1907.

(II) Jessie Charters[7] (Sykes), b. Feb. 20, 1884, Cote St. Antoine, P. Q.; lived in West Richfield, died July 9, 1904. Was a lovely girl.

(III) Lucy Lovina[7] (Sykes), b. Dec. 14, 1885, Cote St. Antoine, P. Q.; died there, Sept. 5, 1887; lies in Mt. Royal Cemetery.

Child by Eve Pope Sykes:

(IV) Wesley Pope[7] (Sykes), b. Oct. 4, 1893, W. Richfield, O. Is in school.

(5) William B.[6] (Sykes), b. Apr. 25, 1859, in Hinckley Centre, O.: m. Eliza Jane Rathburn, W. Richfield, O., Nov. 25, 1880. He was a merchant in this place, and afterward a shopworker in Cleveland, O., where he died, Jan. 16, 1902. He was of a sweet, generous nature, and a natural musician. Children born in West Richfield:

(I) Hiram Rathburn[7] (Sykes), b. Oct. 4, 1884; died on duty as railroad man, June 8, 1903.

(II) Walter George[7] (Sykes), b. Aug. 25, 1886; is a law student in Cleveland, O.

+30 George Enoch[5], b. Feb. 14, 1824; m. Jane A. Woodruff.

+31 Richard Merrill[5], b. June 9, 1826; m. Mary Hogue.

32 Mary Almyra[5], b. Apr. 24, 1828, in Palmer, Mass. Came with family to Ohio in 1838; m. Henry A. Sweet, Sept. 30, 1848. In 1854 they moved to Tazewell Co., Ills. In this new country the usual hardships of a pioneer life were endured, and later they settled on a farm near Moundville, Mo., where Henry Sweet died in 1901.

CHILDREN BORN.

(1) Rowena Lovina[6] (Sweet), b. ——, 1849, Hinckley, O.; went with parents to Illinois; m., first, J. H. White, ——, 1869; m., second, Walter J. Austin, ——, 1880. He is a railroad man. In 1894 she was elected mayor of Pleasanton, Kan. (her home), on account of her strong temperance principles. She was the first woman mayor of an incorporated town in the world. Children by first husband:

(I) Louis H.[7] (White), b. —— 1870; has wife and one daughter, Gladys K.[8]; is a railroad man, and lives in Batesville, Ark.

(II) Kathleen M.[7] (White), b. ——, 1872; unm.; has been a teacher for 17 years, and lives with her parents. Is now principal of a school at Fontana, Kan.

(III) Bird E.[7] (White), b. ——, 1875; m. W. W. Clark, a railroad man of Clinton, Mo.; child:

(A) Merle White[8] (Clark), b. ——, 1896.

(IV) Adopted son, Arthur[7] Austin, b. Dec. 1, 1886.

(2) Frances Almina[6] (Sweet), b. ——, 1851, Hinckley, O.; went to Illinois with parents; m. George Havens, ——, 1869; he died, ——, 1907. In 1885 this family moved to Douglas Co., Mo., amid the Ozark Mountains, where they made their present home. All the children married and settled on farms here, except the oldest one, who took a position away.

CHILDREN BORN.

(I) Harry[7] (Havens), b. Dec. 28, 1869, in Illinois; m. Lizzie Mavis, Dec. 21, 1898; was railroad man in Nevada, Mo.; died Aug. 2, 1908. Children born:

(A) Cecil[8] (Havens), b. Aug. 2, 1901.

(B) Murray[8] (Havens), b. June 10, 1904.

(II) Ada[7] (Havens), b. Sept. 5, 1871, in Tazewell Co., Ills.; m. George Sloan, Dec. 5, 1889, Topaz, Mo. Children born:

(A) Pearl[8] (Sloan), b. Jan. 18, 1891.
(B) Ora[8] (Sloan), b. March 13, 1892.
(C) Ona[8] (Sloan), b. June 30, 1895.
(D) Orville[8] (Sloan), b. Jan. 13, 1900.

(III) Carrie[7] (Havens), b. ——, in Vernon Co., Mo.; m. Lee Tooly, Nov. 10, 1892, Van Zant, Mo. Children born:
(A) Alpha[8] (Tooly), b. Apr. 26, 1893.
(B) Rosa[8] (Tooly), b. Oct. 5, 1895.
(C) Floyd[8] (Tooly), b. July 23, 1899.
(D) Mary[8] (Tooly), b. Sept. 10, 1903.
(E) Chester[8] (Tooly), b. Aug. 7, 1906.

(IV) John[7] (Havens), b. ——, in Vernon Co., Mo.; m. Mary Ford, Oct. 11, 1901, Van Zant, Mo. Their children:
(A) Ella[8] (Havens), b. Feb. 20, 1902.
(B) Everett[8] (Havens), b. Oct. 21, 1903.

(V) Lulu[7] (Havens), b. ——, in Vernon Co., Mo.; m. Logan Crow, Nov. 20, 1899, Van Zant, Mo. Children born:
(A) Ivan[8] (Crow), b. Oct. 16, 1901.
(B) Ruby[8] (Crow), b. Feb. 19, 1905.
(C) Katie May[8] (Crow), b. Oct. 5, 1907.

(VI) Ray[7] (Havens), b. ——, in Vernon Co., Mo.; m. Lizzie Tooly, Aug. 23, 1904, Van Zant, Mo. Children born:
(A) Reuben[8] (Havens), b. Nov. 25, 1905.
(B) Pearl[8] (Havens), b. Jan. 7, 1908.

(VII) Lovina[7] (Havens), b. ——, in Vernon Co., Mo.; m. Jasper Means, Apr. 5, 1903, Van Zant, Mo. Children born:
(A) Claud[8] (Means), b. Jan. 2, 1904.
(B) Herbert[8] (Means), b. Nov. 30, 1907.

(3) Caroline Annette[6] (Sweet), b. May 25, 1855, Hinckley, O.; went to Illinois with parents; m. Samuel Glase, Nov. 19, 1871. Their present home is in Salt Lake City, Utah. They have two grandchildren, a boy and a girl.

CHILDREN BORN.

(I) Mary Lela[7] (Glase), b. Apr. 23, 1873, Sand Prairie, Ills.; m. Alfred Scott, July 5, 1905, who died ——. She is a deaconess, and has been a home missionary. Is now principal of a ward school in Salt Lake City.
(II) Edgar H.[7] (Glase), b. July 8, 1875; d. March 3, 1876.
(III) Albert F.[7] (Glase), b. June 21, 1877, Green Valley, Ills.; m. Ella Walters, Jan. 7, 1897; is a newspaper man at Amity, Colo.
(IV) Robert L.[7] (Glase), b. Sept. 18, 1881, Dublin, Mo.; m. Maude Cahoon, June 27, 1906; graduated at Iowa City, Ia., Medical College, and is a practicing physician at Boise, Idaho.
(V) Clara Belle[7] (Glase), b. Feb. 3, 1887, Jasper, Mo.; d. July 27, 1891.
(VI) Marguerite[7] (Glase), b. Aug. 30, 1893, Jasper, Mo.; is still in school.

(4) Eva May[6] (Sweet), b. Nov. 7, 1857, Tazewell Co., Ills.; m. Stephen McDowell, Dec. 12, 1886. They live on the home farm near Moundville, Mo., and make a home for their mother, Mary Sweet.

CHILDREN BORN.

(I) Dollie M.[7] (McDowell), b. July 12, 1888; is a school teacher.
(II) Leo W.[7] (McDowell), b. Aug. 15, 1891.
(III) Grace E.[7] (McDowell), b. Aug. 4, 1894.
(IV) Hazel M.[7] (McDowell), b. Jan. 29, 1897.

(V) Fern M.[7] (McDowell), b. Aug. 11, 1899. These younger children are all in school.

(5) Lee Ray[6] (Sweet), b. ——, 1858; died ——, 1859.

+33 Alfred Anderson[5], b. June 12, 1830; thrice married.

34 Sarah Almina[5], b. May 21, 1832, at Stafford, Conn.; came with family to Hinckley, O., in fall of 1838; was a typical pioneer girl; married Alvah Washburn, Aug. 15, 1852. He was born in Coventry, Conn., April 23, 1832. Their home was in Hinckley, and afterwards in Medina, O., where Alvah was a machinist and watch repairer. Almina died Feb. 6, 1901. She was a brave woman.

CHILDREN BORN.

(1) Lucy Adelia[6] (Washburn), b. May 7, 1853, Granger, O.; was 19 years in office at Root's, Medina; never married.

(2) Egbert Abiel[6] (Washburn), b. Jan. 24, 1856, Hinckley Centre, O.; m., first, Hattie A. Somers, of Brunswick, Sept. 30, 1877. She died Feb. 5, 1891, in Medina; second, Emily Louise Huddleston, of Medina, Aug. 24, 1892. She died July 12, 1904; third, Mary (Hess) Hoyt (she was a widow with one son, Fred), Oct. 15, 1906. Is a shipper at the Root factory, Medina.

Children by First Wife.

(I) Leroy Egbert[7] (Washburn), b. Medina, Aug. 30, 1878; m. Mary Stringer, of Martin's Ferry, O., Jan. 31, 1900. He is a railroad engineer, and lives at Lorain, O. Children born:

(A) Genevieve Elizabeth[8] (Washburn), b. Dec. 7, 1900.

(B) Leroy Everett[8] (Washburn), b. July 7, 1904.

(C) Mildred Hazel[8] (Washburn), b. March 14, 1907.

(II) Josephine Mabel[7] (Washburn), b. Dec. 19, 1880; m., Feb. 7, 1906, to Leroy J. Howe, of Chatham, O. He is a stenographer.

(III) Ward Somers[7] (Washburn), b. July 11, 1887; m., Sept. 28, 1906, to Martha A. Greenlese, of W. Richfield, O. He is a carpet weaver.

(IV) Alvah Edgar[7] (Washburn), b. Feb. 5, 1891. Is a factory man.

Children by Second Wife.

(V) Irene Jeannette[7] (Washburn), b. Aug. 3, 1895.

(VI) Thomas Alvah[7] (Washburn), b. July 12, 1901. These two are in school.

(3) Sarah Melissa[6] (Washburn), b. Oct. 7, 1857, in Hinckley Centre, O.; was a teacher for 11 years in Medina Public schools; m. Francis A. Pritchard, June 1, 1893. He was born in Ridgeville, O., Aug. 24, 1847; was a widower with three daughters, Alice, Bessie, Carrie. They lived in Medina, where he was a coal dealer. He died May 20, 1906. Children born:

(I) Francis Washburn[7] (Pritchard), b. March 9, 1894; d. July 26, 1894.

(II) A son, born and died Jan. 8, 1897.

(4) Lovina Matilda[6] (Washburn), b. Sept. 26, 1859, in Hinckley Centre, O.; has been a teacher; m. Louis Wm. Hammerschmidt, April 19, 1882. He was born at Liverpool, O., April 30, 1858; is a shoemaker, and lives in Medina, O. Children born:

(I) William Louis[7] (Hammerschmidt), b. July 3, 1884; is a florist in Medina.

(II) Nellie Lovina[7] (Hammerschmidt), b. June 16, 1889; is in "Class of 1909."

(III) Egbert Christopher[7] (Hammerschmidt), b. March 23, 1897; is in school.

(5) Edgar Albert[6] (Washburn), b. Apr. 6, 1862, in Medina, O.; m. Isabel Dora Olin, Nov. 15, 1883. They lived in Medina, and he was a tinner

at Root's factory; died Dec. 5, 1886. Isabel died, Oct. 22, 1908, in Cleveland, O. No children born.

(6) A daughter,[6] b. March 11, 1868; d. March 12, 1868.

(7) Christopher Clinton[6] (Washburn), b. Nov. 30, 1871; was a machinist at Root's; died Jan. 6, 1894. Not married.

85 Joseph Harrison[5], b. Aug. 3, 1834, Stafford, Conn.; came to Ohio, 1838; never married; died Sept. 6, 1854, of typhoid fever.

86 A daughter[5], b. March 10, 1837, Monson, Mass.; died March 25, 1837.

87 John Barton[5], b. Aug. 16, 1838, Palmer, Mass.; came to Ohio when 3 mo. old; went to Illinois in 1858; lived with his sister, Mary Sweet, and was a farmer. In 1861 he enlisted in U. S. Army, Co. B, 3rd Ills. Cav.; was wounded in battle at Pea Ridge; was in hospital at Memphis, Tenn., with typhoid fever; died July 18, 1864; was never married.

38 Caroline Jane[5], b. Dec. 19, 1843, in Hinckley Tp., O.; m. Newell E. Gile, Nov. 19, 1864, in Medina, O. He was born in Medina, O., Oct. 9, 1841; was a blacksmith; also a U. S. soldier from '62 to '63; was wounded at Gettysburg. In August, 1874, they moved from Medina to Norway, Kan., and made a pleasant farm home, having the usual experience of such pioneers. The sons are successful farmers.

CHILDREN BORN.

(1) Helena Annette[6], (Gile), b. Apr. 24, 1866, Canton, O.; d. March 27, 1886, Norway, Kan.; a brave pioneer girl and promising school teacher.

(2) Merrill Newell[7] (Gile), b. Apr. 12, 1869, Medina, O.; d. Feb. 4, 1871.

(3) Philip Kearney[6] (Gile), b. Jan. 12, 1872, Medina; d. Feb. 21, 1872.

(4) John Lathrop[6] (Gile), b. Sept. 25, 1875, Norway, Kan.; d. March 28, 1878.

(5) John Sherman[6] (Gile), b. Jan. 22, 1879, Norway, Kan.; is a farmer at the old place; is not married.

(6) Alice Gertrude[6] (Gile), b. Jan. 20, 1882, Norway, Kan.; m. Hugh Etter, Aug. 25, 1902, Scandia, Kan. He is a stock farmer. Children born:

(I) Mabel Alice[7] (Etter), b. June 16, 1903.

(II) Ernest Reginald[7] (Etter), b. June 25, 1905.

(III) A daughter,[7] b. June 8, 1907; d. June 12, 1907.

(IV) Joseph[7] (Etter), b. July 14, 1908.

(7) Richard Carleton[6] (Gile), b. March 13, 1884; is a farmer; not married.

(8) Mary Webber[6] (Gile), b. Oct. 11, 1887; is a school teacher.

(9) Lulu Lovina[6] (Gile), b. Sept. 3, 1890; is in school.

Fifth Generation

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George Enoch Webber[5] (Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), eldest son of Richard and Lovina (Bradway) Webber, was born Feb. 14, 1824, in Palmer Tp., Hamp. Co., Mass. In 1838 he came with his parents to Hinckley Tp., O., and helped his father to hew out a home in the wilderness. He bears the honor of having shot the last deer killed in Medina Co., in Granger Tp., on the Remson, in the 40's. When 18 years old he returned to Massachusetts and learned the foundry business, and at 21 years of age he came back to Hinckley and planted a foundry of his own. He was married to Jane Ann Woodruff, in Hinckley, Sept. 16, 1849. She was born on Grand Isle, Vt., the same date her husband was born (thus they seem to have been well mated). After some years the foundry business was transferred to Medina, O., where he became prominent in business, and in the Church of Christ, of which he was a member. He was of a strong religious nature, and sometimes preached in his younger days. Jane Webber died May 8, 1889, at sunrise. George Webber was married, second, to Mrs. Sarah Finch, who survives him, and lives with her children in the West. He died March 1, 1900, in Medina, O.

CHILDREN BORN IN HINCKLEY, OHIO.

+39 Julius Fremont[6], b. July 17, 1850; m., first, Ella McIntyre; second, Emma High.

+40 Amos Richard[6], b. Jan. 21, 1852; m., first, Ida Finch; m., second, Nettie Finch.

41 Julia J.,[6] b. July 3, 1855; m. Samuel Neil Walker, in Medina, O., Dec. 20, 1882. He was born Apr. 12, 1853, and is a factory man. Children:

(1) Lana Margaret[7] (Walker), b. Aug. 31, 1885, Medina, O.; she is a typesetter; m. Clarence A. Arndt, June 14, 1905. He is in the carpet business, Medina. Child born:

(I) Sammy J.[8] (Arndt), b. June 9, 1908; d. June 12, 1908.

(2) Harry Chatfield[7] (Walker), b. Sept. 15, 1889, Medina, O.; d. Jan. 31, 1892.

(3) Wakefield Neil[7] (Walker), b. April 17, 1890; is an adopted son; is an office boy.

42 Lana,[6] b. July 4, 1857; d. 13 mo. later.

+43 Harrison Bradway[6], b. Nov. 24, 1859; m. Minnie B. High, March 24, 1887.

+44 John Barton,[6] b. June 24, 1863; m., first, May Riley; m., second, Mrs. E. Cole.

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Richard Merrill Webber[5] (Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), commonly called "Merrill," second son of Richard and Lovina (Bradway) Webber, was born June 9, 1826, at Palmer, Mass. Came to Hinckley Tp., O., when 12 years old; was a pioneer farmer boy. He married Mary Hogue in 1846, in Hinckley. She was born in Henley, Eng., Sept. 7, 1830, and came with her parents to the U. S. when ten years old. "Merrill and Mary" made their first home in Hinckley Tp. near the old Webber homestead. Then they moved to Illinois, here they stayed several years, and returned again to the old home in Hinckley, where he became a prosperous and well-known farmer, gaining many acres in Medina Co. "Webber's Corners" (his home) still holds its name, and here the "little red schoolhouse" stood in the old days, and there is still a schoolhouse there. He was a worthy son of the pioneer preacher, and his influence was good. He died July 10, 1886. Mary, his wife, died Dec. 6, 1893. They lie in the old graveyard, north of Weymouth.

CHILDREN BORN.

45 Charles Merrill[6], b. Oct. 23, 1849, Hinckley Tp., O.; m. Mrs. Sarah A. Scanlan, Apr. 3, 1882; was a farmer in Hinckley. He died May 16, 1885, in Granger, O. One child was born and died very soon.

46 Mina J.[6], b. May 5, 1851, in Granger Tp., O.; m. Joseoh H. Hoddinott, in Medina, O., Dec. 31, 1868. He was born at Keinton, Somersetshire, Eng., May 16, 1842; came to America, April, 1865, landing in New York on the day of the procession held for Lincoln's funeral; came with his parents to Hinckley Tp., O., and here this couple made their home at first; then they moved to the wild country in Michigan, then called Little Traverse, in 1880. Their farm is near Harbor Springs. Their children are farmers. Children born:

(1) Russell Merrill[7] (Hoddinott), b. Aug. 21, 1869, Hinckley Tp., O.; was a farmer in Michigan; died May 16, 1906, Harbor Springs, Mich.

(2) John[7] (Hoddinott), b. Feb. 22, 1871, Hinckley, O.; d. same date.

(3) William G.[7] (Hoddinott), b. June 8, 1873, Hinckley Tp., O.; went to Michigan; m. Henrietta Bennichson, Aug. 24, 1902.

(4) Mary E.[7] (Hoddinott), b. May 5, 1875, Granger Tp., O., went to Michigan; m. Harry Corson, June 1, 1902. Child born:

(I) Wayne Wheelock[8] (Corson), b. Jan. 10, 1904; d. Feb. 24, 1904.

(5) George Henry[7] (Hoddinott), b. Aug. 31, 1882, Friendship, Mich.; d. Oct. 27, 1883.

(6) Esther A.[7] (Hoddinott), b. Apr. 15, 1892, Friendship, Mich.; d. June 4, 1893.

+47 Frank Christopher[6], b. Aug. 22, 1853; m. Esther A. Hoddinott.

48 Joseph Richard[6], b. Nov. 1, 1854, Hinckley Tp.; m. Mary Lavinia, Salisbury, Apr. 6, 1884; is a farmer; no children.

49 Fred[6], b. ——, died in infancy; no record.

50 Caroline Lovina[6], b. Nov. 12, 1859, Hinckley Tp., O.; m., first, Dexter Van Deusen, Aug. —, 1875. They lived in Hinckley, and also in Michigan; m., second, Robert Stanley, May 11, 1895.

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Children by D. Van Deusen.

(1) Irving Dexter[7] (Van Deusen), b. Oct. 1, 1876, in Hinckley.
(2) Ernest[7] (Van D.), b. May —, 1880, Michigan; d. June —, 1880.
(3) Bert Merrill[7] (Van D.), b. Apr. 4, 1882, Hinckley, O.
(4) Earl Rush[7] (Van D.), b. Feb. 11, 1885, Hinckley, O.
(5) Minnie May[7] (Van D.), b. Aug. 19, 1889, Brunswick, O.
(6) Paul Egbert[7] (Van D.), b. Apr. 27, 1893. Above named children are farmers.

Children by Robert Stanley.

(7) Charley Robert[7] (Stanley), b. Feb. 25, 1896, Harbor Springs, Mich.
(8) Leo Richard[7] (Stanley), b. Aug. 17, 1901, Harbor Springs.

51 Minnie Louise[6], b. Aug. 12, 1861, Sand Prairie, Ills.; m. Edgar Burr Fluent, Granger, O., Oct. 20, 1878. He has been a farmer, also a storekeeper, and is a traveling salesman. They live in Medina, O., and Mr. Fluent has been president at the Webber reunion for the past six years.

Children Born.

(1) Orvie D.[7] (Fluent), b. July 27, 1882, Hinckley, O.; m. Belle Henry, of Medina, May 10, 1905; helps in construction work, Youngstown, O. Child born:
(I) Daniel Edgar[8] (Fluent), b. Feb. 28, 1906, Medina, O.
(2) Richard Neal[7] (Fluent), b. July 31, 1894, Weymouth, O. Is in school, Medina, O.

52 Ella Jane[6], b. May 11, 1863, Hinckley, O.; m. Louis Moutoux, March 12, 1881. He was born in Lingelbach, Germany, and came to America when 16 years old, and soon made his home with the Webber family. He was a farmer, and they lived near Weymouth, O. He died Oct. 17, 1906.

Children Born.

(1) Ernest W.[7] (Moutoux), b. Feb. 1, 1882, Hinckley, O.; m. Blanche Pierce, of Cincinnati, Apr. 15, 1906. Their home is in Indianapolis, Ind., where he is a bookkeeper.
(2) Merrill H.[7] (Moutoux), b. June 10, 1884, Hinckley, O.; m. Ethel L. Christian, of Weymouth. He is a farmer at the Moutoux place. Children born:
(I) Louise Frances[8] (Moutoux), b. Sept. 13, 1907.
(II) Frances Catharine[8] (Moutoux), b. March 24, 1909.
(3) Karl R.[7] (Moutoux), b. March 17, 1892, Granger, O.; in school, Medina.

53 Lucy Anna[6], b. Oct. 21, 1865, Hinckley, O.; m. Delno A. Stuart, Apr. 28, 1881. He was a tinner, and they lived in several places; then settled in Akron, O. He died March 24, 1908.

Children Born.

(1) Merwin A.[7] (Stuart), b. July 4, 1882; m. Gertrude E. Barnby, Apr. 23, 1907; is in rubber works, Canton, O. Child born:
(I) Alice Mary[8] (Stuart), b. Jan. 3, 1908.
(2) Alice Lucy[7] (Stuart), b. Feb. 4, 1884, in Medina, O.; m. Carl Gibbs, May 1, 1909, Carey, Ohio. He is a farmer.
(3) Charles C.[7] (Stuart), b. Nov. 10, 1886; m. Mary I. Barnby, June 13, 1907; is in rubber works, Akron, O. Child born:
(I) Ruth Lucile[8] (Stuart), b. July 14, 1908.
(4) Curtis Don[7] (Stuart), b. Jan. 3, 1888.

(5) Mary Louise[7] (Stuart), b. May 26, 1892; m. Ernest Brown, July 10, 1909. Is a carpenter, Medina, O.
(6) Ralph W.[7] (Stuart), b. Dec. 10, 1896.
(7) Laura Laverne[7] (Stuart), b. May 5, 1901.

54 John Anderson, b. July 3, 1867, Hinckley, O. Is a farmer in that township. Not married.

55 Elizabeth Idelia[6], b. Sept. 8, 1868, Hinckley, O.; m. Jay M. Sylvester, June 10, 1891. He is a farmer in Hinckley. Children born:
(1) Zorah May[7] (Sylvester), b. Dec. 27, 1892.
(2) Eunice T.[7] (Sylvester), b. June 20, 1894.
(3) Beebe L.[7] (Sylvester), b. May 15, 1899.
(4) Le Grande Webber[7] (Sylvester), b. Nov. 8, 1900.
(5) Harold De Witt[7] (Sylvester), b. Nov. 16, 1903. Children all in school.

56 Harriet Alvira[6], b. Apr. 3, 1870, Hinckley, O.; m. Walter Ernest Case, Nov. 27, 1889. He has been a farmer and traveling salesman, and their home is now in Medina, Ohio. Children born:
(1) Janetta[7] (Case), b. Feb. 10, 1893, Medina.
(2) Raymond Morris[7] (Case), b. Sept. 4, 1895, Central Point, Ore.
(3) Bryan[7] (Case), b. May 7, 1896, Samo Valley, Ore.
(4) Thelma Isabelle[7] (Case), b. Sept. 27, 1899, Granger, O.
(5) Richard Walter[7] (Case), b. May 4, 1902, Medina, O. These children are all in school.

57 Sarah Isabelle[6], b. Dec. 3, 1871, Hinckley, O.; m. Linden H. Pettit, Oct. 6, 1890. He was born Dec. 13, 1853, and has always been a farmer in Hinckley. Children born:
(1) Ethel May[7] (Pettit), b. Apr. 25, 1892; in "Class of 1909."
(2) Mildred Alice[7] (Pettit), b. July 5, 1894.
(3) Floyd Lee[7] (Pettit), b. June 24, 1898.
(4) Max Howland[7] (Pettit), b. Feb. 20, 1901.
(5) Gertrude H.[7] (Pettit), b. Aug. 18, 1903. Children in school.

58 Adaline Tryphena,[6] b. Feb. 3, 1875, Hinckley, O.; m. Jeptha M. Olin, of Cleveland, O., Nov. 29, 1899. Child born:
(1) Franklin Marion[7] (Olin), b. June 16, 1904.

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Alfred Anderson Webber[5] (Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), third son of Richard and Lovina (Bradway) Webber, was born June 12, 1830, at Monson, Mass.; came to Ohio when 8 years old; suffered a light stroke of paralysis when a young man, from which he never fully recovered. This gave him a chance to study, and he was a good Bible scholar, of a strong religious nature. On Sept. 6, 1853, he married Mary E. Longfellow, in Hinckley Centre, O. They moved to Wisconsin; one child was born to them, and died. They legally adopted a daughter, Annie, at the age of 1½ years. Mary E. Webber died Aug. 26, 1860, at Sand Prairie, Ill. On March 3, 1864, he was married to Nancy Jane Buckmaster, at Allen, Ind. She died March 6, 1870, and he returned to Hinckley, O., with his children. On May 9, 1872, he was married to Martha A. Richardson, of Brecksville, O. She died Dec. 9, 1886. He was well known as "Uncle Alf," for he was amiable and lovable; was a carpenter, a farmer, and a bee-keeper. He was member of Church of Christ, and Sunday-school teacher in Hinckley. His last days were spent in Medina, O., where he died, Apr. 23, 1900.

CHILDREN BORN.

59 Annie Maria[6], b. July 16, 18—; legally adopted when 1½ years old; m. James D. Richardson, Dec. 22, 1874, at Brecksville, O. He died Aug. 20, 1892. Children born:

(1) Edith Augusta[7] (Richardson), b. Nov. 10, 1875; m. Russell Baysinger, of Hinckley, Oct. 7, 1908.

(2) Fred A.[7] (Richardson), b. Jan. 22, 1877.

(3) Mary Eliza[7] (Richardson), b. June 29, 1879.

(4) Lillian Martha[7] (Richardson), b. March 16, 1881.

(5) Harry Chester[7] (Richardson), b. Feb. 26, 1882.

(6) Frank[7] (Richardson), died young.

(7) James Victor[7] (Richardson), b. Aug. 6, 1884.

(8) Carrie Belle[7] (Richardson), b. Apr. 9, 1886.

(9) George Albert[7] (Richardson), b. March 31, 1883.

(10) Ruby Winifred[7] (Richardson), b. June 7, 1890; m. Samuel C. Anderson, of Baltimore, Md., June 7, 1908.

(11) Susan Fern[7] (Richardson), b. Juno 19, 1891.

(12) Florence May[7] (Richardson), b. July 2, 1892.

CHILDREN OF A. A. WEBBER, BY SECOND WIFE.

60 William H[6], b. Apr. 29, 1865, Kendallville, Ind.; d. Sept. 30, 1865.

61 Franklin Merrill[6], b. Sept. 27, 1866, Kendallville, Ind.; m. Mrs. Frances (Peebles) Hickox, Dec. 23, 1902, in Berea, O. She was a widow with one daughter, Fanny. He is a plumber in Berea. Has no child of his own.

+62 George Henry[6], b. Sept. 2, 1868; m. Mattie C. Brown.

Sixth Generation

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JULIUS FREMONT WEBBER[6] (George[5], Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), eldest son of George E. and Jane A. (Woodruff) Webber, was born July 17, 1850, in Hinckley, O. He married ELLA D. MCINTYRE, of Hinckley, May 5, 1871. She died in Medina, O., Aug. 25, 1881. He married EMMA J. HIGH, of Medina, Sept. 14, 1882. They lived in Medina, and he was with his father in the foundry business. He died March 22, 1885. Child by second wife:

63 Julia Elizabeth[7], b. June 6, 1885, Medina, O.; m. Julius E. Gayer, Oct. 26, 1904, Medina. Child born:

(1) Kathryn Emma[8] (Gayer), b. Sept. 7, 1907.

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AMOS RICHARD WEBBER[6] (George[5], Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]) second son of George E. and Jane A. (Woodruff) Webber, was born Jan. 21, 1852, in Hinckley, O. Was a farmer boy, and had a course of study in Baldwin University, Berea, O., from which he graduated, afterward reading law, and was admitted to the bar in Medina, O., 1876. Was married to IDA E. FINCH, of Granger, O., May 6, 1875, and in 1876 they moved to Elyria, O., where he was law partner of Hon. G. P. Metcalf for nine years; was pros. att'y of Lorain Co. for six years, ending Jan., 1894, and was Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for three years, when he resigned to accept a seat in Congress, which he held for three years, retiring March 4, 1907. His wife, Ida, died March 26, 1906, in Washington, D. C. While in Washington he headed a strong crusade for temperance in that city.

He married, second, MISS NETTIE FINCH, of Anna, Ills., Jan. 1, 1907.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE.

64 Gilbert G.,[7] b. Apr. 20, 1879, Elyria, O.; m. Elizabeth Patterson, Sept. 1, 1898. No children. Is a jeweler in Lorain, O.

65 Lawrence H.,[7] b. March 25, 1891, Elyria, O.; is in high school.

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HARRISON BRADWAY WEBBER[6] (George[5], Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), third son of George E. and Jane A. (Woodruff) Webber, was born Nov. 24, 1859, at Hinckley, O. Was farm boy; had a course of study at Baldwin University, Berea, O., and also in Hiram College. Later he read law and was admitted to the bar. He married MINNIE B. HIGH, of Medina, O., March 24, 1887. They moved to Canton, O., where he is partner in a law firm. He was City Solicitor for Canton, June 1, 1893, to June 1, 1895, and is well known as an attorney.

CHILDREN BORN.

66 George High,[7] b. Aug. 31, 1888, Canton, O.; is in college.
67 Lucile Jane,[7] b. Sept. 26, 1891, Canton, O.; is an elocutionist.

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JOHN BARTON WEBBER[6] (George[5], Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), fourth son of George E. and Jane A. (Woodruff) Webber, was born June 24, 1863, Hinckley, O.; had usual school advantages in Hinckley and Medina, and worked in his father's foundry. Married MAY R. RILEY, Jan. 1, 1885, Hinckley, O. Their home was in Medina, other places, and is now there. He entered Western Reserve College in 1896, to study dentistry, graduating in 1899, and practicing in Elyria, O., two years, before returning to Medina, where he now lives and practices. His wife, May, died Oct. 7, 1902, Medina, O. He married ELIZABETH MAY (LOWE) COLE, Oct. 22, 1903, Medina, O.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE.

68 Rowena May,[7] b. Feb. 20, 1886, Medina, O.; is at home.
69 Walter Barton,[7] b. Oct. 5, 1887, Medina; is studying pharmacy.
70 Janette Marie,[7] b. April 6, 1890, Medina; is at home.
71 Helen Frances,[7] b. June 9, 1898, Elyria, O.; is in school, Medina.

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FRANK CHRISTOPHER WEBBER[6] (Merrill[5], Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), second son of Merrill and Mary (Hogue) Webber, was born Aug. 22, 1853, Hinckley, O. Was an enterprising farmer. Feb. 20, 1875, he married ESTHER A. HODDINOTT. She was born in England, and came to Ohio a few years before her marriage. They moved to a farm in Summit Co., O., where they still live.

CHILDREN BORN.

+72 Frank Merrill,[7] b. Nov. 30, 1877; m. Rena A. Gargett.

73 Eva May,[7] b. Aug. 6, 1879; m. Frank Smith, West Richfield, O., May 5, 1898. He is a farmer. Children born:

(1) Baby[8] (Smith), b. Jan. 7, 1899; d. Jan. 22, 1899.

(2) Floyd F.[8] (Smith), b. July 27, 1900.

(3) Walter Laverne[8] (Smith), b. June 1, 1903.

(4) Carroll De Forest[8] (Smith), b. July 2, 1907.

74 William Eugene,[7] b. Sept. 13, 1881; m. Sadie M. Bard, Dec. 24, 1997.

75 Alice Eliza,[7] b. July 30, 1891. Is in "Class of 1909."

76 Clara Lovina,[7] b. March 21, 1894. Is in school.

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GEORGE HENRY WEBBER[6] (Alfred[5], Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), third son of Alfred A. and Jane (Buckmaster) Webber, was born Sept. 2, 1868, Kendallville, Ind. He married MATTIE C. BROWN in Medina, O., June 22, 1892; is a foundry man in Medina.

CHILDREN BORN.

77 Alfred Franklin,[7] b. Dec. 20, 1893, Hinckley, O.; in school.

78 Amos Egbert,[7] b. Nov. 11, 1895, Medina O.; in school.

Seventh Generation

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FRANK MERRILL WEBBER[7] (Frank[6], Merrill[5], Richard[4], Joseph[3], Richard[2], John[1]), eldest son of Frank C. and Esther A. (Hoddinott) Webber, was born Nov. 30, 1877, Hinckley, O. Had four years in College. Married RENA A. GARGETT, June 18, 1903, West Richfield, O. Their home is in Fort Wayne, Ind., and he is an electrical engineer.

CHILDREN BORN.

79 Marion G.[8], b. May 29, 1906.
80 Dorothy May,[8] b. March 7, 1908.